IN THE CLAIMS

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21.   (Original)   A method for delivering information to a mobile station in a group communication network, the method comprising:

encapsulating the information inside a frame;

forwarding the frame to a server for delivery to the mobile station; and

causing the server to extract the information from the frame and deliver the information to the mobile station on a forward common channel.

22.   (Original)   The method of claim 21, wherein the causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information when the mobile station is in idle state with no traffic channel.

23.   (Original) The method of claim 21 wherein causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information on a forward paging channel (F-PCH).

24.   (Original) The method of claim 21, wherein causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information on a forward common control channel (F-CCCH).

25.   (Original) The method of claim 21, wherein causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information in short data burst (SDB) form.

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26.   (Original) A computer-readable medium embodying a method delivering information to a mobile station in a group communication network, the method comprising:

encapsulating the information inside a frame;

forwarding the frame to a server for delivery to the mobile station; and

causing the server to extract the information from the frame and deliver the information to the mobile station on a forward common channel.

27.   (Original) The computer-readable medium of claim 26, wherein the causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information when the mobile station is in idle state with no traffic channel.

28.   (Original) The computer-readable medium of claim 26, wherein the causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information on a forward paging channel (F-PCH).

29.   (Original) The computer-readable medium of claim 26, wherein the causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information on a forward common control channel (F-CCCH).

30.   (Original) The computer-readable medium of claim 26, wherein the delivering the information includes delivering the information in short data burst (SDB) form.

31.   (Original) An apparatus for delivering information to a mobile station in a group communication network, comprising:

means for encapsulating the information inside a frame;

means for forwarding the frame to a server for delivery to the mobile station; and

means for causing the server to extract the information from the frame and deliver the information to the mobile station on a forward common channel.

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32.   (Original) The apparatus of claim 31, wherein the means for causing the server to deliver the information includes means for causing the server to deliver the information when the mobile station is in idle state with no traffic channel.

33.   (Original) The apparatus of claim 31 wherein means for causing the server to deliver the information includes means for causing the server to deliver the information on a forward paging channel (F-PCH).

34.   (Original) The apparatus of claim 31, wherein the means for causing the server to deliver the information includes means for causing the server to deliver the information on a forward common control channel (F-CCCH).

35.   (Original) The apparatus of claim 31, wherein the means for causing the server to deliver the information includes means for causing the server to deliver the information in short data burst (SDB) form.

36.   (Original) An apparatus for delivering information to a mobile station in a group communication network, comprising:
        a receiver to receive information over the network;
        a transmitter to transmit information over the network; and
        a processor communicatively coupled with the receiver and the transmitter, the processor being capable of:
        encapsulating the information inside a frame;
        forwarding the frame to a server for delivery to the mobile station; and
        causing the server to extract the information from the frame and deliver the information to the mobile station on a forward common channel.

37.   (Original) The apparatus of claim 36, wherein the causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information when the mobile station is in idle state with no traffic channel.

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38.   (Original)   The apparatus of claim 36, wherein causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information on a forward paging channel (F-PCH).

39.   (Original)   The apparatus of claim 36, wherein causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information on a forward common control channel (F-CCCH).

40.   (Original)   The apparatus of claim 36, wherein causing the server to deliver the information includes causing the server to deliver the information in short data burst (SDB) form.

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